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1. IT NOW APPEARS THAT SECRETARY KISSINGER WILL BE OUT OF THE UNITED STATES ON APRIL 24 AND 25 AND WILL NOT RPT NOT BE ABLE TO LEAD THE US DELEGATION TO THE ANZUS COUNCIL MEETING. YOU MAY INFORM HOST GOVERNMENT THAT LEADER OF LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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US DELEGATION WILL BE ROBERT S. INGERSOLL, WHO WILL BE

ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE DURING SECRETARY'S ABSENCE.  
FULL LIST OF US DELEGATION WILL BE PROVIDED IN SEPTTEL.

2. PROPOSED PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT SHOULD BE REVISED TO READ  
AS FOLLOWS: BEGIN TEXT:

THE ANZUS COUNCIL, COMPOSED OF SENIOR REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
GOVERNMENTS OF AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, AND THE UNITED STATES,  
WILL HOLD ITS TWENTY-FOURTH MEETING IN WASHINGTON ON APRIL  
24 AND 25. THE AUSTRALIAN DELEGATION WILL BE LED BY THE  
MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, SENATOR DONALD R. WILLESEE.  
THE NEW ZEALAND DELEGATION WILL BE LED BY MINISTER OF LABOR

ARTHUR J. FAULKNER. THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION WILL BE  
LED BY ROBERT S. INGERSOLL, WHO WILL BE ACTING SECRETARY  
OF STATE.

THE SECURITY TREATY BETWEEN AUSTRALIA, NEW ZEALAND, AND  
THE UNITED STATES, KNOWN AS THE ANZUS TREATY, WAS SIGNED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1951, AND ENTERED INTO FORCE APRIL 29,  
1952. SINCE THAT TIME THE THREE ALLIES HAVE HELD  
REGULAR MEETINGS TO EXCHANGE VIEWS ON WORLD EVENTS.

3. DEPARTMENT SUGGESTS THAT ANNOUNCEMENT BE MADE ON  
THURSDAY, APR 10. US ANNOUNCEMENT NORMALLY WOULD BE  
MADE AT DEPARTMENT'S NOON BRIEFING. DEPARTMENT WOULD  
APPRECIATE EMBASSY SUGGESTIONS ON COORDINATING TIME  
OF ANNOUNCEMENT.

4. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE REPLY SOONEST AS TO GOA  
AND GONZ VIEWS ON SUGGESTED TEXT AND TIMING OF  
ANNOUNCEMENT. KISSINGER

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